



LONG VOYAGE IS STARTED

Battleships Leave Promptly at Two O'Clock

WITHOUT CEREMONY

Scarlet Fever on Board the Nebraska — Will Be Held in Quarantine 3 Days

JOINS FLEET AT HONOLULU

Ships' Departure Without Celebration of Any Kind Makes a Striking Contrast to the Enthusiasm Shown on Their Arrival.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 7.—Fifteen battleships of the Atlantic fleet sailed today on their voyage that is to take them around the world and end at Hampton Roads, whence they started for last December. Sixteen members of the fleet, of the Nebraska, was left behind because of the outbreak of scarlet fever among the crew. She will be held in quarantine three days and thoroughly fumigated after which she will join her sister ships at Honolulu. Without ceremony or celebration of any sort, the fleet got away promptly at 2 o'clock upon the signal from the Connecticut, and steaming in a single column slowly wended their way out of the bay.

There were none of the exciting and picturesque scenes that marked the coming of the fleet to this port after its voyage around the southern continent of America; no gathering of the people from distant cities nor of countless craft carrying thousands eager to shout their enthusiasm. It was not because there was any less pride in these defenders of the nation's honor, but two months of close contact and the almost daily sight of the glistening ships swinging quietly at anchor had filled the eye and somewhat dimmed enthusiasm. Yet the picture of these big fighting craft was none less inspiring to-day as they steamed in single column between the rugged bluffs of the Golden Gate on their world voyage. Not since they left Hampton Roads last December had the fleet looked so trim and business-like. Every one of the column of sixteen white and buff ships glistened in new paint as if new from the maker's docks and everyone swept low in the water from the weight of full coal bunkers and ammunition magazines.

There were many thousands of San Francisco's population gathered on the high hills to-day to watch the fleet departure but there was no official recognition of the event. A few bay craft gave shrill blasts of their whistles as a parting salute and the watching crowds silently waved adieus. Beyond this there was nothing to mark the sailing of the great sea force as anything more notable than the arrival or departure of other fleets of warships at this port.

Two of the ships made the voyage around South America under Rear Admiral Robley D. Evans were missing from their old positions to-day. These are the Alabama and the Maine which are now far on their way across the Pacific homeward bound. Their places had been taken however, by the Wisconsin and the Nebraska, two more powerful ships, thus making the fleet under Rear Admiral Sperry even stronger and more homogeneous than that which sailed from Hampton Roads.

CASE IS ADJUDICATED

SAN FRANCISCO, July 7.—The decision of the U. S. Circuit Court of the Second District of Washington, in the case of the Murhard and Tate Company against the Portland and Seattle Railway Co., was sustained yesterday by the appellate court. Suit was brought in the lower court by the Railway Company to condemn a right of way for railway purposes, owned by the Murhard Company in Clark county, Washington. The land was condemned and the railway company was ordered to pay \$6,000 for the property.

THE SHAMROCK WINS

NEW YORK, July 7.—Frederic Thompson's schooner yacht Shamrock practically won the 325 mile race for the cup offered through the Brooklyn Yacht Club by Sir Thomas Lipton. The yacht crossed the finish line in Gravesend Bay at 5:27:30 yesterday afternoon, coming to anchor a few minutes later. The Shamrock allows the Mimosa III eight hours, 20 minutes, 59 seconds, so if that sloop arrives by 1:38:40 to-day she will be the winner.

HEAT KILLS MANY

In New York Suffering Is Intense

TWENTY-ONE PERSONS DIE

In Philadelphia There Are Also Deaths and Numerous Prostrations; and Apparently All Over the East There is a Torrid Spell That Kills.

NEW YORK, July 7.—After a breathless, sweltering night, which many spent sleepless on cots or on fire escapes and in the open streets, the sun came up this morning with promise of even greater discomfort. As early as 6 o'clock the streets were blistering hot and not a breath of air was moving. It was not until two hours later that the weather bureau thermometer reached the 80 mark, moving upward by slow stages, but from that time on the movement was more rapid. The weather man reported 90 degrees at 9 o'clock, but in the meantime the humidity had fallen from 78 to 73. As always, the greatest suffering was felt in the crowded tenement districts. Twenty-one persons in the greater city died as a direct result of the weather conditions during the last 24 hours. Reported prostrations numbering hundreds, and thousands not so seriously affected, were treated at their homes by private physicians.

PHILADELPHIA SUFFERS.

PHILADELPHIA, July 7.—Four deaths and more than 50 prostrations occurred in this city from heat between noon yesterday and 10 o'clock this morning. The Government thermometer on the top of the Postoffice building at 10 o'clock registered 85 degrees, and street thermometers registered several degrees higher. The humidity at the same hour was recorded officially at 83 per cent.

BOSTON IS SWELTERING.

BOSTON, July 7.—The hot wave which struck this city eight days ago continued today after a breathless and exhausting night. At 10:30 o'clock the weather bureau instruments registered 89 degrees. No deaths had been reported since yesterday. Up to 10 o'clock this morning three prostrations had been reported.

90 DEGREES AT PORTLAND

PORTLAND, July 7.—The day here was exceedingly warm, with the thermometer up to about 90 degrees.

ANNA AND HELIE WED

Ceremony in London Is a Very Simple One

IN REGISTRY OFFICE

A Few Reporters and Poorly-Dressed Parishioners Follow Bridal Pair

SECOND TIE MADE IN CHURCH

There Was Absolutely no Secrecy Made About Wedding Says Prince Helie de Sagan to American and French Newspapermen.

LONDON, July 7.—Madame Anna Gould and Prince Helie de Sagan were married at a registry office in Henrietta street, off Covent Garden, today. A subsequent ceremony was conducted at the French Protestant church on Soho square.

There was absolutely no secrecy about the wedding. Prince Helie last night announced to representatives of the American and French newspapers that all the difficulties having been overcome and arrangements having been completed, the marriage ceremony would take place immediately upon the opening of the registry office in Henrietta street this morning. Notwithstanding this, the Prince and Mme. Gould made a determined effort to escape the crowd. They had a large motor car waiting at the hotel. When the hour for them to leave arrived, however, the couple, accompanied by three friends, left the hotel by a rear entrance and entering ordinary cabs, drove to the back entrance of the registry office.

A great crowd, consisting largely of porters from the Covent Gardens and employes of a publishing house in the vicinity, assembled in the street outside. Prince Helie produced a copy of the certificate filed with the registrar, establishing his two weeks' residence in the district and the registrar granted the license.

Mme. Gould and the Prince signed the register, describing themselves as had been done in the bans published in Paris. Armed with the registrar's certificate, the party, again leaving the building by the back door, drove in cabs to the French Protestant Church, hidden away in a corner of Soho square. The cabman misunderstood their instructions and stopped in front of St. Patrick's Roman Catholic Church, which also faces Soho square, and the entire party had alighted before the mistake was discovered. New directions were then given and the cabs drove over to the French Protestant Church. The entrance to this church was blocked by trucks and Mme. Gould and the Prince had to make their way through a maze of traffic.

The ceremony was quite in keeping with the simple character of the church, but it was rather long. While it was proceeding, several photographers who had come in with the party, took snap-shots of the couple as they stood at the altar.

At the conclusion of the ceremony the pastor, as is the custom of the church, presented Prince Helie with a bible and then congratulated them. After this he led the way back to the vestry, where the church register was signed. The witnesses were Baron de Montenilliat and C. Bouchaubin. The only other persons with the party was Prince Helie's private secretary.

TACOMA GETS GOOD NEWS.

TACOMA, July 7.—What amounts to an official announcement was made today to the effect that the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul's Pacific Coast shops will be located in Tacoma. The plans call for the building of immense yards. The cost of the shops will be over a million dollars.

BRIDGE CONTRACT LET.

OREGON CITY, Or., July 7.—The County Court yesterday afternoon let the contract for a span of bridge at Eagle Creek Falls to A. L. Lindsey, whose bid, \$340, was the lowest.

KLAMATH FIRM GETS BID.

WASHINGTON, July 7.—A contract has been awarded to the Long Lake Lumber Company of Klamath Falls, for furnishing lumber for the Klamath irrigation project. The contract provides for the purchase of 291,000 feet of lumber at \$12 per thousand, also of 300,000 feet of dimension lumber at \$15 per thousand, and of 185,000 lineal feet of corner split splines, etc. at 3.10 cents per lineal foot, making a total contract of \$9547.

BURNED TO DEATH

Puts Kerosene Oil in Cook Stove to Hasten Fire

ALSO SETS HOUSE ON FIRE

Mrs. G. Raglione of Portland Meets With Horrible Death—Neighbor Tries to Save Her But is Too Late.

PORTLAND, July 7.—Mrs. G. Raglione, a Greek woman, was fatally injured here this afternoon by an explosion of a cook stove in which she had used kerosene oil to hasten the fire for supper. She died between 9 and 10 o'clock tonight. The flames from the stove set the house on fire as well as her clothes. The woman ran shrieking to the yard, but before a neighbor threw a bucket of water over her she had breathed the fire with fatal effects.

BASEBALL GAMES.

- American League.
 - At New York—New York 3, 4, Detroit 8, 11.
 - St. Louis—St. Louis 3, Philadelphia 2.
 - At Washington—Washington 0, 4, Chicago 1, 7.
 - At Boston—Boston 8, Cleveland 6.
- National League.
 - At Chicago—Chicago—Brooklyn; no game; wet grounds.
 - At Pittsburg—Pittsburg, Philadelphia; no game; rain.
 - At Cincinnati—Cincinnati 4, New York 3.
 - At St. Louis—St. Louis 1, Boston 4.
- Pacific Coast League.
 - At Portland—Portland 4, San Francisco 3.
 - At Oakland—Los Angeles 3, Oakland 2.
- Northwest League.
 - At Spokane—Spokane 9, Aberdeen 8.
 - At Vancouver—Vancouver 10, Seattle 9.
 - At Butte—Butte 15, Tacoma 8.

FUNERAL OF MRS. SHEPARD.

OREGON CITY, Or., July 7.—The funeral of the late Mrs. Lillian Shepard, who died suddenly yesterday morning at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clark N. Greenman will be held Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock from the family residence. Mrs. Shepard was born here 46 years ago, and had been a resident of Oregon City all her life.

MANY CHEERS FOR BRYAN

The Democratic Leaders' Strength Grows

WANT GRAY FOR VICE

Parker Called for and Reads His Resolution of Tribute to Cleveland

SESSION LASTS BUT 2 HOURS

Hicks Withdrew Resolution Thereby Averting a Bitter Fight—Chairman Bell Delivers an Address Amid Loud Demonstrations.

DENVER, July 7.—With cheers from 10,000 throats and with the swell of the political oratory and the inspiring spectacle of the vast multitude of people, the democratic national convention began its deliberations today.

The session, lasting a little over two hours, was notable more for the impressive magnitude, and spectacular opening, than for the business accomplished. It gave however an opportunity for the opening echoes of the convention enthusiasm in a keynote speech of the temporary chairman, Bell of California, in a heated skirmish incidental to the contest in Pennsylvania delegation and finally the unanimous tribute to the late Grover Cleveland. But the enthusiasm of the opening was comparatively brief, with the intermittent and tempestuous, without that long of sustained frenzied clamor which is still reserved for the future.

The day was devoted chiefly to primary formalities and the committees appointed are now at work perfecting the permanent organization to be presented tomorrow. The tide of Bryan sentiment sweeps on, gathering force as it proceeds, and tonight the chorus of "Bryan," "Bryan," is well nigh universal. With it is the steadily swinging undercurrent for the nomination of George Gray of Delaware as vice-presidential candidate and this movement has now assumed definiteness which promises to merge it soon with the seemingly overwhelming current moving toward Bryan. An initial outburst of enthusiasm today came just after the session opened when the silken banner bearing the portrait of Bryan was displayed. Immediately there was a storm of wild applause which died away after half a minute of explosive demonstration. The appearance of temporary Chairman Bell was another signal for an outburst. He came forward amid a burst of tribute and in strong far-carrying voice, and easy gesture, he delivered the opening address of a full hour long on righting of the public wrongs, punctuated with yells as come the phrase-tickled fancy of the throng.

It was not possible that the great applause came from the delegates at Bell's impassioned declaration that the writ of injunction should not be turned into an instrument of oppression. Again there was an uproarious applause when he arraigned the republican campaign contributions without a "Cash register." After referring to Taft as "Bisected candidate" he adroitly turned his speech into panegyric for Bryan, reference to the Nebraska leader bringing forth tumultuous applause. The appointment of committees were quickly disposed of. For a moment the Pennsylvania row threatened to throw the convention into a wild uproar. That

state presented two sets of officers, representing contending factions. Otis James of Kentucky voicing the Bryan sentiment endeavored to refer the fight to be credentials committee. Against this Colonel Guffey and his lieutenants, pale and pestilating, wildly and sought to interpose the protest. But it was no avail. For a time pendemonium prevailed. And then the smooth running machinery consigned the question to the credential committee where Bryan's advocates are supreme and the Guffey forces retired, full of wrath and disgust. The presentation of the resolution of respect to the memory of Grover Cleveland, brought to the front the two notable figures of Judge Parker and Governor Francis of Missouri. The resolution as adapted emulated from Bryan's friends and were presented by I. N. Dunn, of Nebraska, who will make the nominating speech for Bryan. They were no sooner read than a shout of "Parker," "Parker," showed the generous temper of the convention towards the former leader. Judge Parker was prevailed to mount the platform where with a resonant voice he read his own resolutions of tribute to Cleveland, closing with tact the full omission to

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LOG RAFT SIGHTED

Towing From Astoria to San Diego Again Seen

17 MILES OFF CAPE BLANCO

Report of Captain Smith of the Steamer Daisy That Just Arrived at San Francisco, Was Seen on July 5.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 7.—The log raft towing from Astoria by the tug Dauntless for San Diego has again been sighted. Captain Smith of the steamer Daisy, arriving today from Willapa with 790,000 feet of lumber, reports that on July 5th about 11:30 a. m., he passed the huge timber raft 17 miles southeast of Cape Blanco. Captain Smith said that the weather was clear with fresh northwest winds and a smooth sea.

JACOB SLEEPER ARRIVES.

Is Called From Venezuela Because They Refused to Arbitrate.

NEW YORK, July 7.—Jacob Sleeper, formerly the charge d'affaires of the American legation at Caracas, whose departure from that post-marked severance of diplomatic relations between the United States and Venezuela, arriving in New York today and will go to Washington immediately. Regarding the probabilities of war between the United States and Venezuela in result of the unsettled relations, Sleeper said: "Well, I have been recalled as a result of Venezuela refusing to arbitrate our differences. What next step shall be taken remains with Washington."

AUTO RUNS INTO BOY.

SEATTLE, July 7.—John Ward, 7 years old, was fatally injured last night when an automobile driven by Frank X. Shreiner, manager of the Merchants' Cafe, ran into and knocked the lad down, fracturing his skull and breaking his jawbone. The affair was purely accidental. The boy was playing in the road at the time.

MEET AT HOT SPRINGS.

HOT SPRINGS, Vir., July 7.—Executive committee of the republican national committee will meet here today. From the sessions Frank H. Hitchcock will be elected chairman, and Representative McKinley of Illinois, will be made treasurer of the national committee.